



Proclamation

WHEREAS, the foundation of a humane and just society is the people's willingness to work for the common good; and

WHEREAS, experience teaches us that government by itself cannot solve all of our nation's problems; and

WHEREAS, our country's volunteer force is one of our greatest treasures; and

WHEREAS, only self-sacrificing individuals mobilized to help others can stem the tide of poverty, hunger, homelessness, spouse and child abuse, and other problems that afflict society; and

WHEREAS, the giving of oneself, in service to another, empowers the giver and the recipient; and

WHEREAS, volunteering creates an opportunity to better oneself; and

WHEREAS, it is right that we should honor and acknowledge our dedicated volunteers and celebrate the volunteer programs, which contribute to the life of our communities throughout Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the Community Association for the Welfare of School Children has provided services to the community through its volunteers for over 45 years.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kathleen Babineaux Blanco, Governor of the state of Louisiana, do hereby proclaim June 11, 2004, as

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION FOR THE WELFARE OF SCHOOL CHILDREN DAY

in the state of Louisiana.



*Attest By
The Governor*

[Signature of Kathleen Babineaux Blanco]
Secretary of State

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand officially and caused to be affixed the
Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the
Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this
the 10th day of June
A.D., 2004.*

[Signature of Kathleen Babineaux Blanco]
Governor of Louisiana